

**nucleus**  
 ['nju:kliəs] *n* (*pl* *-lei*, *редк.* *-leuses* [-{'nju:k}liəsiz])

1. ядро, центр, ячейка  
 nucleus of an organization - ядро организации  
 the nucleus of a community - центр, вокруг которого объединяется населённый пункт  
 nucleus of a story - суть рассказа  
 nucleus of a comet - *астр.* ядро кометы
2. косточка (*плода*); ядро (*ореха*)
3. *физ.* ядро (*атома*)
4. *биол.* ядро (*клетки*)
5. *мин.* центр кристаллизации  
 nucleus of crystal - зародыш кристалла
6. *физиол.* ядро центральной нервной системы

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**nu·cleus** [nucleus nuclei] *BrE* ['nju:kliəs] *AmE* ['nu:kliəs] *noun* (pl.

**nu·clei** *BrE* ['nju:kliə] ; *NAme* ['nu:kliə] )

1. (*physics*) the part of an atom that contains most of its mass and that carries a positive electric charge  
 see also ↑neutron, ↑proton
2. (*biology*) the central part of some cells, containing the ↑genetic material
3. the central part of sth around which other parts are located or collected  
 • These paintings will form the nucleus of a new collection.

Word Origin:

early 18th cent.: from Latin, literally kernel, inner part, diminutive of *nux*, *nuc-* 'nut'.

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[Date: 1700-1800; Language: Latin; Origin: 'center of a nut', from *nux* 'nut']

1. the central part of an atom, made up of ↑neutrons, ↑protons, and other ↑elementary particles
2. the central part of almost all the cells of living things
3. a small important group at the centre of a larger group or organization

**nucleus of**

- \* the nucleus of an effective team
- \* Marantz and Grohl form the nucleus of the Atlanta operation.

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